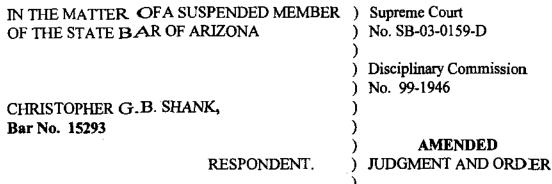
## SUPREME COURT OF ARIZONA





This matter having come on for hearing before the Disciplinary Commission of the Supreme Court of Arizona, it having duly rendered its decision and no discretionary or sua sponte review occurring.

IT IS ORDERED, ADJUDGED AND DECREED that CHRISTOPHER G.B. SHANK, a suspended member of the State Bar of Arizona, is hereby disbarred from the practice of law in the State of Arizona, retroactive to August 14, 2000.

IS FURTHER ORDERED that Respondent shall comply with all the provisions of Rule 72, Rules of the Supreme Court of Arizona, including, but not limited to, Rule 72(a), which requires that Respondent notify all of his clients, within ten (10) days from the date hereof, of his inability to represent them and that he should promptly inform this Court of his compliance with this Order as provided in Rule 72(e).

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that Respondent shall comply with all rule provisions regarding reinstatement proceedings.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that pursuant to Rule 60(b), the State Bar of Arizona is granted judgment against CHRISTOPHER G.B. SHANK for costs and expenses of these proceedings in the amount of \$4,019.87, together with interest at the legal rate from the date of this judgment.

DATED this 22nd day of March \_, 2004.

Chief Justice

The foregoing instrument is a full, true and correct appy of the original on file in this office.

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